## SALLY ZUNIGA FLOWERS STATE ASSEMBLY, 56TH DISTRICT

Nearly all my life has been spent in the 56th Assembly District. My father's family came to California from Guanajuato, Mexico, as migrant workers. My mother was from a family that helped found the Artesia Chamber of Commerce.

I received my Bachelor's degree in Business Administration from Pepperdine University. I began my business career 20 years ago, managing an accounting office for a large corporate group while raising my family of two boys and now a young daughter.

In 1997 I was elected to the Artesia City Council, served as both Mayor and Vice Mayor of Artesia and became a member of the League of California Cities Latino Caucus Board. I was also appointed by the Governor to the State's prestigious Board of Accountancy, overseeing the accounting industry in California.

As an effective Artesia City Councilmember I've helped create:

A much needed after-school Homework Center for community youth

Two environmental water saving programs

The first free Medical Fair in Artesia for the disadvantaged

The largest collection of Indian books and resources in the LA County Library System

A balanced city budget every year since my election

I've worked hard to be the most accessible, effective councilmember possible.

As your Assembly-member I will focus on returning more money to local communities, fight for better schools, work to improve health care and be a forceful advocate for safer streets. I look forward to bringing strong leadership to the 56th Assembly district.

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